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WITH IMPROVED OLIGONUCLEOTIDE PROBE PAIRS

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**RESPONSE TO "NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

**(Notice of Allowance Mailed)"**

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Sir:

This paper responds to a *Notice to File Corrected Application Papers* dated September 28, 2010 (the "*Notice*"), and follows a telephone call with the Customer Assistance Unit of the Office of Data Management on Oct. 01, 2010. The Ref # of this telephone call is 1-176453326.

The *Notice* indicated that Applicant must provide missing information on Table 3, pages 73-75.

In the phone call, the undersigned indicated that nothing was missing from Table 3 and that only the right border of the table was partially or fully truncated. The undersigned was informed that it would be sufficient to submit a reformatted version of Table 3, which appears on pages 2-3 of this paper.

REMARKS appear at page 4.

**Replacement Table 3:**

**Table 3.** Oligonucleotide Keylock probes for detection of SNPs from Table 1.

SEQ ID #	Keylock nr.	Fragment code	Locus nr.	Length (bp)	5'(PH)-3' sequence
31	02W641	43F	31	124	<b>GCCGCGCCCGGGCCGCCCCGG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCT</u> GGAAGTATTCAGAGTTTAGAGTGAA
32	02W642	43F	31	122	<b>GCCGCGCCCGGGCCGCCCCGG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGGGAAGTATTCAGAGTTTAGAGTGAT</u>
33	02W661	43F	31	rev	GTACAATGCAATTTAGAGAACA <b>AAGCGATCCGATCG</b> <u>ATATCGACGTAGCTGCATCGTAATCGGGGAATTGG</u> <u>TACGCAGTC</u> <b>CCGGGCGGGCCCGGGCGCGGC</b>
34	02W643	61F	32	119	<b>CCGCCCCGCGCGCGCCCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCAGCAAAGAATTAGACATGGATGAGTT</u>
35	02W644	61F	32	117	<b>CCGCCCCGCGCGCGCCCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCCAAAGATTTAGACATGGAGGAGTC</u>
36	02W662	61F	32	rev	CTTAACACGTCCAGACAAGAGGCCCATGTTCGACGT <u>AGATCCGTATAGCACTGAGTCGGGAATTGGTACGC</u> <u>AGTC</u> <b>CGCGGGCGCGCGGGCGGGCGG</b>
37	02W645	64F	33	114	<b>CCCGCGCCGCGGGCGCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCC</u> TAGTTTGAGCAGTTTTGAGCTGAA
38	02W646	64F	33	112	<b>CCCGCGCCGCGGGCGCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGTAGTTTGAGCAGTTTTGAGCTGAG</u>
39	02W663	64F	33	rev	TTAACAAGAAAAATCGGTCAGGACTGTACGCATGC <u>TAACGTTACGGACTATCGGGGAATTGGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>CGCGGCGCCCGCGGCGCGGG</b>
40	02W647	75F	34	109	<b>GCCGGCGGGCCCCGGCCGGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCC</u> TTTCATATTGATGGTTTTGTTTTGTTA
41	02W648	75F	34	107	<b>GCCGGCGGGCCCCGGCCGGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGTTTCATATTGATGGTTTTGTTTTGTTG</u>
42	02W664	75F	34	rev	ACGCTTCTTCCTTGTTGAGAGGGGATGCTCAGGCT <u>ATCGACATGGGGGAATTGGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>CGCCGGCC</b> <b>GGGCCCCGCCGGC</b>
43	02W649	92R	35	104	<b>CGCCGCCGGGCGCGCGGGCC</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCAAGCTTTGCAACAGCAGAAGTGTAT</u>
44	02W650	92R	35	102	<b>CGCCGCCGGGCGCGCGGGCC</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGAGCTTTGCAACAGCAGAAGTGTAC</u>

45	02W665	92R	35	rev	<u>CTCTGCAGAGATAGATCATAACCTTCACGTCATGC</u> <u>TGAGCATGGGAATTGGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>GGCCCCGCGCG</b> <b>CCCCGGCGGCG</b>
46	02W651	28R	36	99	<b>CCGGGCGGGCCGGGCCGCCC</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCTCTCTCTTGTGTTGTCAGGAGCA</u>
47	02W652	28R	36	97	<b>CCGGGCGGGCCGGGCCGCCC</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCACTCTTGTGTTGTCAGGAGCT</u>
48	02W666	28R	36	rev	<u>GAACTATAAATTGCTTGCAGGAACCCGCTAACGTT</u> <u>ACGGGGAATTGGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>GGGCGGCCCGGCC</b> <b>GCCCCG</b>
49	02W653	14446E10	40	94	<b>GCCGGCCGCGGCCCGGCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCGATCACTGGCTGGAACCTCTCCC</u>
50	02W654	14446E10	40	92	<b>GCCGGCCGCGGCCCGGCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGATCACTGGCTGGAACCTCTCCG</u>
51	02W667	14446E10	40	rev	<u>AACTCTCAATTTTTCAACCTTCTCTATCATTCGAG</u> <u>GGAATTGGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>CGCGCCGGGCGCGGCGCG</b> <b>GC</b>
52	02W655	14447C06	38	89	<b>CCCGCGCGCGGCCCGGCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCCATGTATGCATGATTGGCGGTCCA</u>
53	02W656	14447C06	38	87	<b>CCCGCGCGCGGCCCGGCCGCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGATGTATGCATGATTGGCGGTCCG</u>
54	02W668	14447C06	38	rev	<u>TTCTTTTGTATAGCAAGAGCTTGAACGGGGAATT</u> <u>GGTACGCAGTC</u> <b>GCCGGCCGGCGCGCGCGGG</b>
55	02W657	14446E01	39	84	<b>GGCGCGCGGCCCGCGCGCCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCTGTTGTTCTTGTGTCATCTCCTT</u>
56	02W658	14446E01	39	82	<b>GGCGCGCGGCCCGCGCGCCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGGTTGTTCTTGTGTCATCTCCTTG</u>
57	02W669	14446E01	39	rev	<u>TCACAAGCTCCCATCGCATCATGGAATTGGTACG</u> <u>CAGTC</u> <b>CGGCGCGCGGGCCGCGCGCC</b>
58	02W659	14157A04	37	79	<b>GGCGGCCGCCGGGCGGGCCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGTGCAACAGTTGAATAGAAAGATGT</u>
59	02W660	14157A04	37	77	<b>GGCGGCCGCCGGGCGGGCCG</b> <u>GATGAGTCCTGAGTA</u> <u>ACGCAACAGTTGAATAGAAAGATGC</u>
60	02W670	14157A04	37		<u>ACACGAGCCTCGGATCAATGGAATTGGTACGCAG</u> <u>TC</u> <b>CGGCCCGGCCGGCGGCCGCC</b>

**REMARKS**

Replacement Table 3 has been reformatted as to its right and left margins, but is identical in content to original Table 3. No new matter has been introduced.

Applicants believe that they have responded fully to the *Notice* and that the application is now in condition for publication and issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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